

Resolution authorizing a contract with Columbus Neighborhood Health Center, Inc. (CNHC) to provide primary health care services and related services at the John Maloney Health Center (Community Partnerships) (\$378,841.00)

WHEREAS, Columbus Neighborhood Health Center, Inc. (CNHC) is a private not-for-profit organization, classified as a federally qualified health center (FQHC), whose mission is to provide primary health care and related services to the residents of Franklin County, especially to individuals who do not have ready access to health care and/or do not have health insurance; and

WHEREAS, approximately 134,000 of our Franklin County residents are uninsured, and the lack of healthcare contributes to lost productivity in our workplace and schools as well as to ever escalating healthcare costs, and causes critical delays in receiving vital medical treatment for all of our citizens; and

WHEREAS, in furtherance of its mission, CNHC operates the John Maloney Health Center where individuals of all ages living on the South Side of Columbus receive quality primary health care and related services; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners wish to support the CNHC and the John Maloney Health Center and do so by entering into this agreement as authorized by Ohio Revised Code Sections 307.85 and 3709.283;

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS,
FRANKLIN COUNTY, OHIO:

That the attached purchase order that is individually described on the accompanying Purchase Order Proof List and the attached collaboration agreement between Columbus Neighborhood Health Center, Inc. and the Franklin County Board of Commissioners for the period of January 1, 2008 to December 31, 2008 in an amount not to exceed \$378,841.00 are hereby approved.